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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of:

YOSHINARI OHNISHI

Appln. No.: 09/987,229

Filed: November 14, 2001

For: IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD,
STORAGE MEDIUM, IMAGE
FORMING APPARATUS AND
PROGRAM

Examiner: Wenpeng Chen

Art Unit: 2625

April 25, 2006

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION,
CONDITIONAL PETITION,
AND
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

Applicants petition to extend the time for response to the Office Action of January 25, 2006, to April 25, 2006. A check in the amount of \$120.00 in payment of the extension fee is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee and credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account 06-1205.

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